of any shoes in the world.



Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co. make the best shoes.

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Money to Loan ON PERSONAL PROPERTY. UNREDEEMED PLEDGES FOR SALE. Business



912-914 Franklin Ave.

Our new apring stock. We are offering (a) Freek Coats at \$1; 1,000 Freck Coats and Vests, made by some of the best tailors in the United States, which we are willing to dispose of from \$1.25 to \$5; mleo pante \$1 up. Money loaned on all articles of value; lowest rate of interest.

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NOTARY PUBLIC. REPUBLIC BUILDING

CITY ITEMS.

WE noticed yesterday in one of Crawford's windows a sample of the drinking water served to all tree and which flows from fountains on every floor in their vast establishment!! The water is as clear as crystal and kept at an even temperature of 40 degrees!! No one would think to look at it that it was the water of the Mississippi River, but so it is, cooled and tiltered by Crawford's own cooling and filtering methods in their basement!!

FUNERAL OF THOMAS M. PAGE. Body Laid to Rest in the Family Lot in Bellefontaine.

The funeral services of Thomas M. Page, president of the Page & Krausse Manufacturing and Mining Company, took place yesterday afternoon at his late residence,

THE BEST SUITS FOR \$15 IN ST. CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

These suits are all our own celebrated manufacture. They are accurate in fit and are cut in the latest fashion. They are this season's manufacture and worthy of your consideration whenever you decide to buy a spring suit.

> MILLS & AVERILL, BROADWAY AND PINE.

PREFERS TO REMAIN HERE.

Superintendent Soldan Refuses an Offer From Chicago.

Superintendent F. Louis Soldan of the St.

Superintendent F. Louis Soldan of the St. Louis public schools has refused an offer from his friends in Chicago to be a candidate for the position of superintendent of public schools of that city. He answered by saying that St. Louis was good enough for him, and requested that his name be left out of the list of probable successors to Superintendent. E. B. Andrews.

Professor Soldan received a telegram from Chicago which announced that it ne desired the position of superintendent of the Chicago schools it could easily be secured for him. Later his friends wrote a letter pressing the office upon him. Yesterday he said that he had been with the schools in this city for so long, and was so interested in the work being done here, that he was unwilling to leave, and would remain a worker for them as long as it was the wigh of St. Louisans that he should do so, The salary offered by the Chicago position is in excess of his present compensation by several thousand dolars a year. He is an advocate of certain plans and regulations for the bettering of the public school system and believes that St. Louis is the best field in which to work. Other lucrative posts have been offered Professor Soldan in past years, but he refused these, preferring to the work in which he has taken such a material part.

Sedalia, Mo., April 20.—The morning session of the annual conference of the passion of the annua

To Reach Texas Comfortably Take the 8:50 p. m. train from St. Louis via the Frisco Line and G., C. & S. F. Ry, Through observation and drawing-room sleepers and free chair care to Dallas, Galveston and San Antonio, The only scenic route to Texas. Harvey dining halls.

DIED IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Body of Mary McPherson Young Will Be Brought Here.

An Associated Press dispatch announces

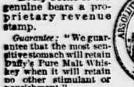
the death of Mrs. Mary McPherson Young of this city at the Palace Hotel, in San of this city at the Palace Hotel, in San Urancisco, For many years Mrs. Young the prominent in St. Louis, and before gotter was for her health, six months ago, which at No. 350 Pine street. Sha was the flow of William Young, who was at one in a wealthy local fire-clay deder, and daughter of William McPherson, present of the company which built the Earls ridge, William N. McPherson, tiller of the Boatman's Back, is her hephew, Her locally will be brought to St. Louis for bural,

An Ounce of Gold for every ounce of adulteration found in

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. For forty years eminent physicians have prescribed it. As a tonic it is better than all the combinations of drugs that could be compounded. It is not only a stimulant—it is a medicinal food, and is recognized as

it is a medicinal food, and is recognized as such by the medical profession. A leading New York doctor said: "Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is a form of food already digested." A bottle in the house will save suffering perhaps life itself.

Every bottle of the genuine bears a pro-



DUPPY MALT WHISKEY CO., Rochester, N.Y.

Our Shoes have the largest sale STRIKING PAINTERS BECOME AGGRESSIVE

Men at Work at Broadway and Lucas Avenue.

THEY PULL DOWN TRESTLES. AFRAID

Malin and N. M. Payne Fall to the Ground Uninjured -Police Called Out.

The first open act of violence that has happened since the painters' strike was dolated occurred yesterday afternoon at 3:30 Schook at Broadway and Lucas avenue, when a body or led strikers marched to the corner and attempted to prevent painters employed by Mesers, Flesh & Mook from priming the building at the northeast corner of the above streets under a contract o., the druggists.

Messrs, Flesh & Mook were informed several days ago that the work could not conconditions demanded by the Painters' Union were complied with. They answered the demand by saying that if their men were satisfied they proposed to keep them at work. All the morning the work of priming progressed without interruption.

own Lucus avenue and congregated on the west side of Broadway, under the sheds of Union Market. After a conference of a half hour a number of them crossed the treet and ordered the work on the new Raboteau store discontinued. M. M. Flesh, senior member of the firm of Fiesh & Mook, was in charge, having donned a pair of overalls and gone to work, pushing the brush, the first time for forty years. He informed the strikers that he would not quit, as he was under contract to comple the work at a certain time, and it would r quire every minute of the time left to ge

through. This answer was not satisfactory and then the fun began. The painters at work at the time beside M. M. Flesh were H. L. Malin and N. M. Payne. The trestles on which Payne stood were knocked from under hin and a ladder was jerked from under Malin causing him to fall a distance of eight feet to the sidewalk. He picked up his brash and rushed for the man, but the fellow had disappeared in the crowd. A streak of paint cross Broadway bears mute evidence of se of the brush, which was hurled

it the fleeing striker. By this time a crowd of 500 or 600 people and assembled and the air was filled with the shouts of the sympathizers of the re-spective sides. A few minutes after the trouble began several policemen arrived and quieted the disturbance by forcing the strikers to the west side of Breadway.

M. M. Flesh said: "I took this work un-

No. 2712 Locust street.

Mr. Fage was a member of the Shelley Grays of Memphis, an old Confederata company, and it was hoped that his pall bearers might be selected from the survivors of that organization. A telegram was received, however, stating it was impossible for them to set to St. Louis in time. The following were the pall bearers: Heary Hiemenz, Jr.; E. B. Kransse, T. D. Kimball, R. Van Runyon, J. P. Chiley and P. Fogerty. The burial was in the family lot at Beleschialne.

Solid Silver (Gentlemen's)...... 10 to 45

Sedalis, Mo., April 20.-The morning session of the annual conference of the pastors of the German M. E. Church of the Kansas City District was opened by the Reverend K. Koepsel. Papers were read by the Reverend F. Wippermann on "In What Manner Should a Minister Entertain His Brother Minister"; by the Reverend E. Cropin, "Exercesis on Amos"; by the Reverend J. Kaistle, "Special Vicissitudes and Difficulties of a Minister"; "What Can Protestantism Learn of Catholicism?" D. It. Rodemacher; "Position and Influence of Catholicism in Our Land," H. H. Peters; "Morrinonism in Our Land and Its Future," T. F. Brink; "A Study of the Book "In His Steps" and the Movement Arising Therefrom," G. G. Grassmueck, To-night there was a talk on "Thank Offering of the Twentieth Century," by the Reverend F. Hausser. The next annual meeting of the Epwerth League of the church will be held in Kansas City. Reverend K. Koepsel. Papers were read by

NEW FEATURE FOR BABY SHOW. Continuous Performance by Youthful Amateur Specialists.

in Kansas City.

A continuous performance by youthful specialists will be an interesting feature in unection with the Baby Show that will be eiven in the west nave of the Exposition building on the afternoons of May 22, 24, 25, 26. Among those who have kindly volunteered to assist this society as amateur actors and actresses are: Miss Edilian Gertrude Sass, 10 years old; Virgie McCanon, Leathea U. Brown, Helen Callaway and Draylic Horton. Leathea U. Brown, Helen Callaway and Frankle Hortom.

The registering of babies 5 years and un-der coes on daily, Sundays accepted, at No. 1721 Franklin avenue. The registering fee is 1721 Frankim avenue. The registering fee 13 56 cents.

Mrs. R. H. Knollenberg, No. 4057 Page avenue, is chairman of Arrangements Committee, consisting of all members of the Children's Golden Chain Humane Society.

The following men have accepted the invitation to act as Committee on Awards: Doctor E. F. Brady, Doctor R. M. Carpenter, Doctor A. L. Boyce, Messrs P. H. Blerman, Simon S. Bass, William C. Nolte, Clark H. Sampson, Albert A. Aal, Judge George B. Sidener and Theodore Eggars.

Criminals Sentenced at Salem.

Salem, Mo., April 29.—To-day Sam Thompson was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the State Penitentiary for robbery and an additional term of two years for burglary and larceny. Benson Roberts, a negro, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment for arson.

CARRIED \$8,000 IN LOAD OF HAY.

Frowd of One Hundred Attacks | St. Louis County Farmer Adopted Novel Method of Conceal ing His Wealth.

Contractor M. M. Flesh Sr., H. L. Did Not Dare Keep His Carefully Insists the Police Have Only At Hearded Money Longer and Decided to Entrust It to a City Bank.

> Pearing that he might meet a highwayman on the public road, Hudolph Smith, a farmer, living at Rosary, St. Lans Counis, adopted a povel method to bring an acdeposit in one of the local banks.

After driving his wagon to his meadow Smith loaded it with ball a ton of hip. In the middle of the load he put a small cigar | To the Editor of The Republic executed some time ago with Raboteau & box containing the money that he desired to bring to St. Louis. Then Smith put on his oldest suit of clothes, pulled a sloveh St. Louis. He met all sorts of persons on the road, some of whom, he thinks, might with malicious misrepresentation. have been highwaymen, but his appearnome, where his neighbors enamed him At 3 o'clock the body of strikers marched

ever his curvless appearan he arrected very little attention from the receiving teller until he opened the claim ox and handed it to him. The feller cour ed the money and found that the box co

Until last Tuesday Smith did not have nuch faith in banks, believing that it was afer to keep his money on top of his ward eciverships. On that morning he read i The Republic that Gottlieb De Forth of No ols Bulwer avenue, St. Louis, fair beer obbed on the Hall's Ferry road near tree-Keys last Sunday. that the desperadoes might larger in the neighborhood and swoop down some night upon his property.

PROFESSOR LOCKED IN.

Medical Students Resented Imputations on Their Honesty. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Chicago, April 20.—Because Professor

S. Liewellyn questioned the honesty of his

students, the members of the senior class of the Chicago Homeopathic College refused of the Chicago Homeopathic College refused to take an examination under his supervision and locked him in his private ream for two hours. The doctor made his escape by dropping from the window, He telespaned to the police and rix detectives were sent from the Central Station.

The trouble occurred in the amphituance of the college when the statement assembled for examination in clinical materia medica. The senter class entered the lecture room and the members took scats in the front rows. Doctor Idewellyn assumed control and ordered the students to every recombinate. This the students regarded as no inand ordered the students regarded as no insult because their honesty was questioned, and they refused to comply. The chass rose in a body and gave vent to its indignation by shouts and yells. They told the prefused to be salmonkeepers and the members of our complication in plain language. They told the prefused to salmonkeepers and the members of our complication in plain language in the property of the prefused to be salmonkeepers and the members of our complication. And now Mr. Hawes is injured! Think of its take the examination under him.

SHIPPED AS A STOWAWAY.

St. Louisan Released From Irons at San Francisco.

An Associated Press dispatch from San Francisco says that the steamer Peru, which arrived there yesterday from Panaand Central American ports, brought a and Central American ports, brought a stowaway in the person of William Sanfellz, an American citizen of St. Louis, Mo., who became penniless in Mexico and boarded the Peru at San Blas. He was put in froms and upon the steamer's arrival at San Francisco was turned over to immigration officers, who lost no time in releasing him as soon as he asserted his American citizenship.

Mr. Saufeliz's name does not appear in

Killed in a Ranaway.

DEPUBLIC SPECIAL. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Ennie, Tex., April 20.—John Roach, a citizen of Barciwell, came to Ennis to-day after a load of flour. His team became frightened and ran away Mr. beach was threwn to the ground, and two wheels of the wagon passed over his body. Three ribs werbroken, an elbow was fractured, and he was otherwise injured. He was taken 19 the home of C. T. Allen and his family notified. He died this afternoon.

Will Winfrey Sentenced.

MENUMER SPECIAL

McKinney, Tex., April 20.—Will Winfrey was to-day convicted and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. The prisoner, who was charged with assault with intent to murder about three years are, was recently captured at Benton, Ill.

Charged With Whitecapping.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL Gatesville, Tex., April 26.—Officers arrested March Dunn on the charge of whitecapping by mailing the three letters sent to three tarners at Boaz. He waived examining trial. His bond was placed at \$400 in each case. April Birth Month Rings.

The birth stone for this month is the diamond, signifying "Innocence." Diamond

rings, solid gold mountings, \$1 to \$1,000.

FR. COFFEY TAKES MR. HAWES TO TASK

Denies That He Has Offered the Anti-Wineroum Crusaders Any Aid to Stamp Out the Dens.

HIGHWAYMEN. REFERS TO HIS PROMISES.

tempted Enforcement of Law Against Music — He Asks Questions.

Republic in reply to the communication cumulation of greenbacks to St. Louis for Whiten by President Hawes, and adopted by the Polloe Board, in which exception are taken to the resolutions recently adopted by the ermanders:

formeds pipe in his mouth and started to people of St. Lone, and at the same time ance did not denote presperity and he was but he has kindled both of them himself. not molested, except in the vicibity of his The Salconmon's Protective Association ble, and when he tries to escape, he cans When Smith entered the bank in the city into the Anti-Wincroom Conflagration on the other. He gays that the has been doing his duty magnified homently, therefore he has been veheme tly deriliet in the performance of his

> The Saloonmen's Protective Association wherry law. They wanted the Police Descriment to apply the law to reputable, as cell as disreputable places. The papers lated that Mr. Howes and the Police Comners were going to consider that comrive Association. Mr. Hawes says only that it speaks more cloquently even than the police reports of the activity of the Police Department. Of what does it speak? Of ny effort on the part of the Police Depart cours? On, no! It speaks only of warrants against salsonmen who have must the Police Department sceme to be spend

"Mr. Hawes says. We have received no March. No complaint was made about the This is absolutely falso. I sent our become of the strong arm' he had threat by must it is missised.

DONATED A FLAG.

Sons of Confederate eterans to Be the Recipients.

The Daughters of the Confederacy and the United Daughters of the Confederacy and the United Daughters of the Confederacy and the United Daughters of the Confederacy of the rest in the situation when the situation were given in the string of the class. It has been a weaker market for the form of the class the teacher sought his principal to the situation was interimpted. This principal the situation was interimpted to make situation of the form of the situation was interimpted to make a situation of the form of the situation was interimpted to make situation used in the situation was interimpted. The situation was interimpted to make situation of the form of the situation was interimpted to the situation was interimpted. The situation was interimpted to make situation of the form of the situation was interimpted to the situation was interimpted to make situation of the form of the situation was interimpted to the situation was interimpted to make situation of the situation was interimpted to situation was interimpted to

Hail or anywhere else. Personally Mr. Hawes and Mr. Higgins have been lovely as the ladies would put it. They have always received us kindly and said they were with us, but that's all. And that is not what us want. It is not what the people of St. Louis want. It is not what the people of St. Louis want. It is not what the people of St. Louis want. It is not what the people of St. Louis want. It is not what the people of St. Louis want. It is not what the people of St. Louis want. It is not what the people of St. Louis want. It is not what the week in the would not raid the wineroom saleons less the should capture some respectable (7) women there. He wants the word prostutute binances upon the torcheads of fallen women before he will allow his pien to arrest them or take them to the Four Courts. women before he will allow his been to arrest them or take them to the Four Courts in the hoodlum wagon. And this is the genteeman that says be cannot create a law to suit Mrs. Inguls. Father Coffey, Mr. Haynes er any other member of our committee. Mr. Hawes made this same plea in other words at the Schuyler Memorial Hail meeting. We are simply asking him to create taws, we are simply asking him to to be hiding behird technicalities, but to come out like a man and do his duty. There is taw enough against the dens we are fighting, and every lawyer in town knows it. All of these places are disorderly resorts, they are public misances, and no one knows it belier than Mr. Hawes's policemen.

"JAMES THOMAS COFFEY."

CONVENTION RATE FIXED.

Railroads to Charge Delegates and Visitors One Fare.

Chicago, April 29.- The Executive Committee of the Western Passenger Association to-day accepted the report of its subcommittee recommending rates for conventions and meetings.

rings, solid gold mountings, \$1 to \$1.000.

Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway & Louist, Solid Gold Wedding Rings a Specialty, \$10 \$20, more than the Republicans on account of the date of the Democratic convention, which is July 4. Some wanted to make a proposition to make any discrimination against one political party. Both conventions will the rendered.

Schlemmer Adjudged Insane.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

S There was considerable wrangling over

"The World's Grandest Jewelry Establishment."

On BROADWAY, Cor. LOCUST ST.

NEW NATIONAL BANK PLANS.

W. J. Kurtz Has Applied for a

Charter.

W. J. Kurtz, with an office in the Chem-

ical building, has applied to the Treasury

Department for a charter for a new na-

tional bank in St. Louis. The proposed bank is intended to take the place of the defunct

A Box of Fine Stationery,

Containing 100 sheets of fine writing paper

blue or heliotrope, for 50 cents at Mermod

POST OFFICE CHANGES.

Heads of Departments Shifted by

Mr. Baumhoff.

The Oldest and Best.

'S. S. S. (Swift's Specific) is the only pure-

stomach, dyspepsia, rheumatism and very

and building up the blood and eliminating from the system all impurities.

Will Pay Under Protest.

You can sell anything if you advertise it in The Sunday Republic-14 words or less 10c; each additional seven words, 10c extra.

Called to Monroe City.

Monroe City, Mo., April 29.—The Christian Church has called to the pastorate the Rev-erend R. B. Briney of Amarillo, Tex. Ho has accepted the charge and will begin his labors next Sunday. His predecessor, the Reverend M. J. Nicason, is now the State agent for the American Missionary Society.

could claim interest.

Some important changes have been made

and 50 envelopes to match, in cream, marin

Write for samples-Mailed free.

TRADE IRREGULARITY

row will sur-

ACTIVE CAMPAIGN FOR LOW-

ER PRICES GOES ON.

Bad Weather Had a Depressing

Effect During the Early Part

of the Week.

New York, April 29. Bradstreet's to-mor-

More rather than less irregularity in the

trade and price situation is to be noted

this week, partly the result of weather con-

on is reported. Wire prices apparently

ported hist week, and bar steel and plates

are likewise lower. The other metals have

nuthracite cost remains seasonably weak, but talk of impending labor troubles has hardened bitummous coal at most markets.

Wheat, including floor, shipments for the veck aggregated 2.89 til bushels, against 89,622 bushels last week, 2,22,59 bushels

ha the corresponding week of 1995, 3,232,106 bushels in 1898, 1,054,568 bushels in 1897, and 1,256,599 bushels in 1896. Since July 1 this senson the exports of wheat aggregate 157, set 547 bushels, against 192,86,119 bushels last year and 101,59,628 bushels in 1897-98.

Poor spectacles or improperly fitted ones

tichin, at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway

and Locust, makes no charge for examining

the eyes and insures a proper fit. Steel

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT WORK.

Street Commissioner's Estimates-

New Pumping Station.

The Board of Public Improvements met

restorday morning and designated May 8,

at 12 m., as the time for receiving bids for

the improvement of twenty-three alleys in

various parts of the city.

frames, \$1 and up; gold, \$5 and up.

Fine Gold Larguettes, \$12.50 to \$250.

do much harm. Dector Bond, expert op-

shown a reactionary tone this week and & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

hoff.

BROADWAY, CORNER OF LOCUST ST.

IS ON THE INCREASE.

Write for Our New 1900 Catalogue. 3,000 Engravings. Mailed Free.

MANY SURPRISES IN

house of Station No. 1, and the erection of a steam hammer and appliances, the estimated cost being \$100.00.

The other ordinances are supplementary to ordinances how in force. The first authorizes the reconstruction of the pumping plant at Station No. 1, at an estimated cost of \$115,000. The second provides for the construction of Pumping Station No. 2, at an estimated cost of \$600. These amounts represent the money which is needed to complete the work already done. WEEK'S STOCK MARKET.

JUGGLING OF STEEL AND WIRE THE CAUSE.

Dun Finds Better Demand for Hides and Merchandise-Little Doing in Cotton.

New York, April 20.-R. G. Dun & Co. 1 weekly review of trade to-merrow, will say: Formal reduction of 55 per ton in ices of plates and burs and closing of tills by the American Steel and Wire Company have filled the week with surprises. In the stock market, and in the market for ted and iron products changes have begum, and the end of which cannot well be

Apart from the disturbance in speculation there has been produced a measure of distrust regarding prices that are maintained by the great combinations which may for the present, tend to deter buying. In the fron business the formal reductions were ilmost wholly anticipated in actual sales. Some urgent and important contracts have been made, including that for the New York requiring 70,000 tons at prices not stated, but it is known that many others have been deferred until the prospect is

Hides in Better Demand. There is a slightly better demand for

this work, partly the result of weather conditions but partly, to in the case of from and steel trade, because of the continuance of those missionary efforts in the direction of hower prices, which have been such a feature of the tron and steel trade of interest of the second have been evidenced by a number of features. Bailroad carringra continue heavy and the decrease noted in bank clearings is chargeable largely to religious and other holiting observing and to restricted stock speculation. Heavy rains and cool weather early in the week had a depressing effect on trade and collections, but with the advent of a warm spring temperature, improved conditions of retail demand, which is at present a most important element in the general trade situation, have been noted.

The bear campaign in from and steel took on a new phase this week, when a number of wife mills were shut down, as alleged, because of an oversupply of these goods. The announcement has had an unsettling effect upon general demand, as was probably expected, and new domestic business is interfered with. The strength of the export demand previously noted in these columns, however, is still a feature, and we have the best of reasons for beleving that a very large quantity of Southern from, variously estimated at 25,000 to 25,000 to 15, was sould this week to go abroad at nearly or about full prices. Price changes are mostly along lang has heredore noted, to go the prices apparently are unperhanced. Wire prices apparently are unperhanced. Wire prices apparently are unperhanced. aldes at Chicago, attributed to their improving condition, but the distribution of boots and shoes does not keep all the factories at work. Some are closed, many more are running part time, and very few of these in operation have orders for a single month. There is no room for doubt that greatly restricted boying has been caused by the high prices asked, which the onkers declare unavoldable until prices pa other yield. The shipments from Berton three weeks have been 31,152 cases or 1.6 per cent smaller than last year, and a title less than in 1894. Yet a large business a claimed in leather, which is still held thout yielding, and satin is quoted half a cent higher

Textile Industry.

The textile industries have large orders yet to be alled, which keep many of the mills busy, but there are many others less fortunate, and their hunt for orders, without much regard for prices, causes irregu-larity in the lines not of established posttion. The staple woolen and worster goods hold steadily, as the makers need no more contracts, but in less favored lines, both for wear and in dress goods, the bus ness is by no means satisfactory.

in the St. Louis Post Office, in pursuance Wool has been inactive, without change of plans originated by Postmaster Baumton planting, but this feature and the statistical strength of the market have not been sufficient to produce any outside built novement, while the quateness in dry goods and the weakness noted in cotton yarns have been additionally discouraging features.

Wool is weak, but there is rather more inquiry and now, as one year mgo, relatively highest prices fine at points of production. Enckward weather conditions have affected the immer trade demand, but in this, as in a number of other lines, the advanced prices demanded are credited with checking involves.

The pressure of heavy supplies is responsible for the slight weakening shown in the price of raw sugar this week, while the resined market remains unchanged. Weather laddeness are again reflected in the market for dairy products, which have weakened under large receipts.

Wheat Shipments Larger.

Wheat, including flour, shipments for the week aggregated 2,388.51 bushels, against in prices. Cotton goods are by some sold at concessions for future delivery, as all realize that present prices will not long control cost of

production. Raw cotton is held at 9.81 cents, with all the more case because there seems to be nobody in this country impatient to buy except in the speculative markets. Northern mills have taken, with the stocks they held last September, enough for the whole year's needs. The spinners abroad, who have you to supply themselves, are paying over 9. cents, the average export price for \$53,000,000 worth shipped in March.

In spite of decrease in other staples, there were the largest merchandise exports ever known, except in December, 1898, and the value of the minor dements exports, chiefly manufactures, rose to \$50,785,599 in March, a sum never approached in any other month.

Wheat and Corn.
Wheat has declined a fraction in price and corn advanced a fraction, both markets being rendered comparatively inactive by certainty that the remaining foreign re-

bushels in 1808, 1,654,668 hushels in 1897, and 1,254,690 hushels in 1896. Since July 1 this senson the exports of wheat aggregate 157-88, 1857,48 hushels against 12,724,444 hushels last year and 12,524,68 hushels in 1895, and 18,547 hushels against 2,724,444 hushels last work, 1,291,348 hushels a year ago, 2,563,482 hushels and hushels in 1895, and 681,296 hushels a year ago, 2,563,482 hushels in 1895, Since July 1 this senson curn exports aggregate 166,681,396 hushels in 1895, Since July 1 this senson curn exports aggregate 166,681,396 hushels, against 127,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,325 bushels, against 187,017,744 hushels during the same period a year ago and 147,123,255 bushels, against 187,017,018 hushels and the translation of the disease litself, causing inflammation of the storage of the period of the year ago and 147,123,255 bushels, against 187,017,018 bushels, against 187,017,018 bushels, against 187,018,018 bushels, against 187,018,018 bushe Diamond and other precious stones reset

Business Failures.

Business failures in the United States for the week number 181, as compared with 1.2 in 180, 184 in 189, and 280 in 1895. Business failures in the Position of Camain for the week number 18, as compared with 35 last week number 18, as compared with 35 last and building up the blood and eliminating most expert workmen. Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust. Nevada Wants the Encampment.

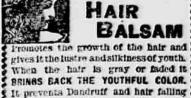
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Nevada, Me., April 29.—The Nevada Com-mercial Club to-night forwarded an invita-tion to the proper military authorities for the annual brigade encampment of the Mis-suri National Guard in July to be held in this city. Marmaduke Park, with a large tract of unbroken prairie land, has been Will Pay Under Protest.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Nocogloches, Tex., April 29.—In the tax suit of Nacogloches County against the Houston, East and West Tex.s Hallmad Company for \$1.989 taxes for 1809, the attorneys for the railroad wired Tax Collector H. L. Turner to know the amount, saying that they would pay it under protest. They further inquired about the interest and were answered that the Collector's report for May I would have to be made before he could claim interest. tendered for use as the camp ground,

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